

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

Andreas Ruther et al.

Serial No.: 10/511,080

Filed: October 12, 2004

For:

METHOD FOR OVERPAINTING
CHROMOPHORE AND/OR EFFECT-
PRODUCING MULTI-LAYER PAINTS

Group Art Unit: 1792

Examiner: Elena Tsoy Lightfoot

Confirmation No.: 7054

I hereby certify that the attached correspondence is
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Response, addressed to Mail Stop Amendment,
Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450,
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450, on April 6, 2009.

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AMENDMENT UNDER 37. CFR § 1.111

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

INTRODUCTORY REMARKS

This is in response to the outstanding Office Action of January 6, 2009, wherein pending claims 1-3, 5-12, and 14-25 were rejected. Reconsideration is respectfully requested in view of the following amendments and/or remarks.

No extension of time is believed to be necessary. However, Applicant hereby petitions under 37 CFR 1.136 or other applicable rule to have the response period extended the number of months necessary to render the attached communication timely if a petition is required. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge to Deposit Account 23-3425 any fees necessary for entry of this amendment and/or extension of time.

Please refer to the claims and remarks as set forth below.